

**RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER****JUL 19 2006****FAX TRANSMISSION****DATE:** July 19, 2006**PTO IDENTIFIER:** Application Number 10/550,137
Patent Number**Inventor:** Mats Inganas et al.**MESSAGE TO:** US Patent and Trademark Office**FAX NUMBER:** (571) 273-8300**FROM:** FULBRIGHT & JAWORSKI L.L.P.

Melissa W. Acosta, Ph.D. 01768/10304061/Cytos

PHONE: (713) 651-5407**Attorney Dkt. #:** HO-P02773US1**PAGES (Including Cover Sheet):** 3**CONTENTS:** Status Inquiry for application 10/550,137 (1 page)
Certificate of Transmission (1 page)

If your receipt of this transmission is in error, please notify this firm immediately by collect call to sender at (713) 651-5407 and send the original transmission to us by return mail at the address below.

This transmission is intended for the sole use of the individual and entity to whom it is addressed, and may contain information that is privileged, confidential and exempt from disclosure under applicable law. You are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or duplication of this transmission by someone other than the intended addressee or its designated agent is strictly prohibited.

FULBRIGHT & JAWORSKI L.L.P.Fulbright Tower, 1301 McKinney, Suite 5100, Houston, Texas 77010-3095
Telephone: (713) 651-5151 Facsimile: (713) 651-5246

Docket No.: HO-P02773US1
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Mats Inganas et al.

Application No.: 10/550,137

Filed: March 23, 2004

For: PRELOADED MICROFLUIDIC DEVICES

Confirmation No.:

Art Unit: N/A

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER
JUL 19 2006

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the agent named below be advised of the status of the above-identified application. Please advise us of when we might expect to receive a Filing Receipt from the Patent and Trademark Office.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 06-2375, under Order No. HO-P02773US1 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: July 19, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

By 

Melissa W. Acosta, Ph.D.

Registration No.: 45,872

FULBRIGHT & JAWORSKI L.L.P.

Fulbright Tower

1301 McKinney, Suite 5100

Houston, Texas 77010-3095

(713) 651-5151

(713) 651-5246 (Fax)

Agent for Applicant

25677521.1

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JUL 19 2006

PTO/SB/97 (09-04)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U. S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

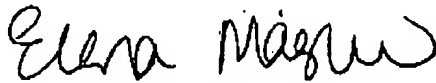
Application No. (if known): 10/550,137

Attorney Docket No.: HO-P02773US1

Certificate of Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

on July 19, 2006
Date

_____
Signature_____
Elena M. Maglito_____
Typed or printed name of person signing Certificate_____
Registration Number, if applicable_____
(713) 651-5253
Telephone Number

Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of transmission, or this certificate must identify each submitted paper.

Status Inquiry for application 10/550,137 (1 page)